

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Tiecheng A. Qiao, et al

GELATIN COATED RECEIVER AS  
PROTEIN MICROARRAY  
SUBSTRATE

Serial No. 10/625,646

Filed 23 July 2003

Group Art Unit: 1639

Examiner: Christopher M. Gross

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

(a)  Previously submitted  
(i)  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on 03-05-2007  
(ii)  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on  
(iii)  Other  
(b)  Enclosed  
(i)  Amendment/Reply  
(ii)  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  
(iii)  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
(iv)  Other Extension of Time

2. Miscellaneous

(a)  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) of a period of months.. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)  
(b)  Other

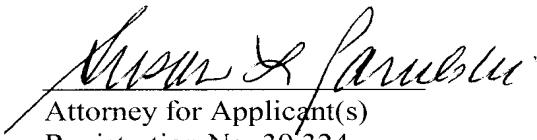
3. Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16, or credit any overpayments to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225.

4.

RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e)  
 Extension of time fee (37 CFR § 1.136 and 1.117)

Respectfully submitted,

  
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